

**REMARKS**

This supplemental response replaces the response submitted on March 7, 2006.

The Examiner has required Applicant to elect one of the following patentably distinct groups of the claimed invention:

- I. An inorganic fluorescent material, set forth in claims 1-11; or
- II. A process of compounding the inorganic fluorescent material as set forth in claim 12.

Applicant hereby selects Group I, the inorganic fluorescent material defined by claims 1-11.

An early action on the merits of this application is respectfully requested. Should any points remain in issue, which the Examiner feels could best be resolved by either a personal or a telephone interview, it is urged that Applicant's local attorney be contacted at the exchange listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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